

GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT
9TH LEVEL, A-WING, DELHI SECRETARIAT, IP ESTATE, NEW DELHI-110002

No. F.51/DGHS/PH-IV/COVID-19/2020/112684972/ 85-103

Dated: 20/10/2022

ORDER

Whereas notification No 52/DGHS/PH-IV/COVID-19/2020/prsecyhtw/13087-336 dated 13.06.2020, as further amended dated 20.11.2020, in respect of The Delhi Epidemic Diseases, (management of COVID-19) Regulations, 2020 was issued.

And whereas, the DDMA after examining all the relevant facts related to the issue of penal provisions for not adhering to the COVID protocol of wearing of mask at public places, decided that, in relation to the clause 3(h) (c) whereby not wearing of face mask/cover in all public places has been made an offence.

And whereas, DDMA in its meeting held on 22.09.2022 noted that the positivity rate of COVID-19 infection has come down substantially and a majority of the population has been vaccinated.

And whereas, DDMA has decided that compulsory wearing of masks under the Epidemic Act may not be extended beyond 30.09.2022 and hence, a Fine of Rs. 500/- for not wearing of masks in public places would also stand withdrawn after 30.09.2022.

Now therefore, the order number F.51/DGHS/PH-IV/COVID-19/2020/CD#000597848/4093-4242 dated 22.04.2022 in which there is a provision to impose a penalty of Rs. 500/- on general public for not wearing face mask in public places, stands withdrawn after 30.09.2022. However, in crowded public places, all public are advised to wear mask.



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3. OSD to Hon'ble Minister of Health, GNCTD.
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5. Chairman, NDMC.
6. ACS/Secretary (GAD), GNCTD
7. Pr. Secretary-cum-Commissioner (Transport), GNCTD.
8. Secretary (Home), GNCTD.
9. Commissioner (MCD).
10. SO to Chief Secretary, GNCTD.
11. All Pr. Secretaries/ Secretaries/ HODs of all Autonomous Bodies/ Institutions/ Colleges under GNCTD.
12. Director General of Health Services, GNCTD.
13. All the District Magistrates, GNCTD.
14. Director, DFW, GNCTD.
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16. All Chief District Medical Officer, GNCTD.
17. PS to Secretary (H&FW), GNCTD.
18. PS to all Spl. Secretary (H&FW), GNCTD.
19. System Analyst. H&FW for uploading the same on the H&FW website.



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